REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicant would like to thank the Examiner for the careful consideration given the present application. The application has been carefully reviewed in light of the Office action, and amended as necessary to more clearly and particularly describe the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention.

The Examiner objected to claims 12-17 due to informalities. Applicant notes that the informalities have been corrected per the Examiner's recommendation.

Applicant notes that the specification has been amended on page 53, lines 3 and 4 to conform to the corrections in the claims. Applicant notes that no new matter has been introduced by the amendment.

In light of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is in a condition for allowance and notice to that effect is hereby requested. If it is determined that the application is not in a condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to initiate a telephone interview with the undersigned attorney to expedite prosecution of the present application.

If there are any additional fees resulting from this communication, please charge same to our Deposit Account No. 16-0820, our Order No. 33627US1.

Respectfully submitted,

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